

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q92604

Tatiana A. EGOROVA-ZACHERNYUK

Appln. No.: 10/564,012

Group Art Unit: 1651

Confirmation No.: 3752

Examiner: Lora Elizabeth BARNHART

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For: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR STABLE ISOTOPE LABELLING OF BIOLOGICAL
COMPOUNDS

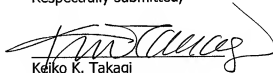
RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This responds to the Restriction Requirement, dated January 15, 2009. In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicant elects Group II, claims 13-16 for examination. This election is made without traverse. Applicant reserves the right to file a Divisional Application directed to non-elected claims 1-12 and 17-30. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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